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Dear Sir:

I am writing to protest the inhumane treatment given to poultry by manufactures, with F D A and other government agency approval. In this house, we have not purchased poultry raised by inhumane and drugged procedures for years, nor will we in the future. There is no reason for animals to be subjected to cruelty for the sake of manufactures' profit, nor is there any excuse to pump them full of antibiotics that increase a health hazard for humans. Human health is at stake here and ranks higher than manufactures' self interest. A government that condones suffering and disease should not be allowed to govern at all; a government that inflicts such is not a government but tyranny.

Sincerely,

Patricia Smith

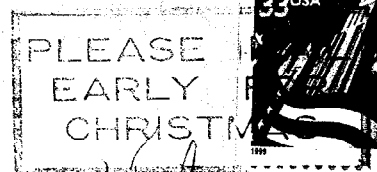
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